



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

April 25, 2008

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ERNEST LEONARD, TREASURER
BUTTERFIELD FOR CONGRESS COMMITTEE
PO BOX 2571
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IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: C00401190

REFERENCE: PRE-PRIMARY REPORT 4/1/2008 - 4/16/2008

DEAR TREASURER:

IT HAS COME TO THE ATTENTION OF THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION THAT YOU MAY HAVE FAILED TO FILE THE ABOVE REFERENCED REPORT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES AS REQUIRED BY THE FEDERAL ELECTION CAMPAIGN ACT, AS AMENDED.

YOU WILL BE ALLOWED FOUR (4) BUSINESS DAYS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE TO FILE THIS REPORT TO AVOID PUBLICATION.

THE REPORT MUST BE FILED WITH THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION, 999 E STREET, N.W., WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463 FOR HOUSE CANDIDATES, OR THE SECRETARY OF THE SENATE, 232 HART SENATE OFFICE BUILDING, WASHINGTON, D.C. 20510, FOR SENATE CANDIDATES. PLEASE NOTE THAT ELECTRONIC FILERS MUST SUBMIT THEIR REPORTS ELECTRONICALLY, AS PER 11 CFR §104.18. A COPY OF THE REPORT MUST ALSO BE FILED WITH THE SECRETARY OF STATE OR EQUIVALENT STATE OFFICER UNLESS THE STATE IS EXEMPT FROM THE FEDERAL REQUIREMENT TO RECEIVE AND MAINTAIN PAPER COPIES. IF YOU HAVE FILED THE REPORT TIMELY BY EXPRESS, CERTIFIED OR REGISTERED MAIL, PLEASE NOTIFY US IMMEDIATELY OF THE CERTIFIED, REGISTERED OR TRACKING NUMBER AND THE DATE THAT THE REPORT WAS SENT.

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IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS MATTER, PLEASE CONTACT CHRISTOPHER RITCHIE IN THE REPORTS ANALYSIS DIVISION ON OUR TOLL FREE NUMBER (800)424-9530. OUR LOCAL NUMBER IS (202)694-1130.

SINCERELY,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Patricia Carmona".

PATRICIA CARMONA
ASSISTANT STAFF DIRECTOR
REPORTS ANALYSIS DIVISION (RAD)

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